WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1 1. A method for computer application migration planning,

2 comprising:

3 collecting application data;

4 assigning ratings according to a plurality of

5 assessment factors;

6 averaging the ratings to determine an average rating;

7 and

8 determining employee migration percentages according

9 to the average rating.

1 2. The method of claim 1, wherein the assessment factors

2 include at least one factor selected from the group

3 consisting of client interface, technology,

4 application management, and application category.

1 3. The method of claim 1, further comprising applying

2 weightings to the ratings.

1 4. The method of claim 1, further comprising determining

2 employee migration figures by multiplying the employee

3 migration percentages by the number of full-time

4 equivalent employees.

1   5.   The method of claim 1, wherein the assessment factors

2   include at least one factor selected from the group

3   consisting   of   client   interface,   technology,

4   application management, and application category.

1   6.   A data processing system, comprising:

2   means for receiving application data;

3   means for receiving ratings corresponding to a

4   plurality of assessment factors;

5   means for averaging the ratings to determine an

6   average rating; and

7   means for determining employee migration percentages

8   according to the average rating.

1   7.   The data processing system of claim 6, wherein the

2   assessment factors include at least one factor

3   selected from the group consisting of client

4   interface, technology, application management, and

5   application category.

1   8.   The data processing system of claim 6, further

2   comprising means for applying weightings to the

3   ratings.

1   9.   The data processing system of claim 6, further

2   comprising means for determining employee migration

3   figures by multiplying the employee migration

4   percentages by the number of full-time equivalent

5   employees.

1   10. The data processing system of claim 6, wherein the

2   assessment factors include at least one factor

3   selected from the group consisting of client

4   interface, technology, application management, and

5   application category.

1   11. A computer program product tangibly embodied in a

2   computer-readable medium, comprising:

3   instructions for receiving application data;

4   instructions for receiving ratings corresponding to a

5   plurality of assessment factors;

6   instructions for averaging the ratings to determine an

7   average rating; and

8   instructions for determining employee migration

9   percentages according to the average rating.

1   12. The computer program product of claim 11, wherein the

2   assessment factors include at least one factor

3   selected from the group consisting of client

4   interface, technology, application management, and

5   application category.

1   13. The computer program product of claim 11, further

2   comprising instructions for applying weightings to the

3   ratings.

1   14.   The computer program product of claim 11, further

2   comprising instructions for determining employee

3   migration figures by multiplying the employee

4   migration percentages by the number of full-time

5   equivalent employees.

1   15.   The computer program product of claim 11, wherein the

2   assessment factors include at least one factor

3   selected from the group consisting of client

4   interface, technology, application management, and

5   application category.